

CITY OF NEWTON

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

TRAFFIC COUNCIL AGENDA

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2015

7:00 PM
City Hall
Room 211

ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION:

- HP4-15 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting two handicap parking spaces on Temple Street, near the entrance to the Temple Shalom parking lot. (Ward 3) [07/31/15 @ 4:00 PM]
Newton Commission on Disability voted to recommend 2 spaces on 09/21/15.
- TC91-13 JUDITH SIPORIN, 300 Franklin Street, requesting a parking restriction on Franklin Street, Weekdays, to deter commuter parking and address safety concerns. (Wards 7 & 1) [12/13/13 @ 1:48 PM]
HELD (4-1) Babcock opposed on 11/20/14. Hold for the following trial: No parking, Franklin Street, between Centre Street and Park Street, north side, 7:00 AM to 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM, except Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays.
- TC61-14 WILLIAM PAILLE, DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION, requesting to allow parking on Baldwin Street. (Ward 1) [09/12/14 @ 4:13 PM]
HELD (4-0) on 10/02/14. Held for trial of the following: Two reserved spaces in the inlet, to be signed the following: Underwood Staff Permit Parking, 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM, School Days. The Traffic Bureau will produce two parking permits to be delivered to the Underwood School Principal.
- TC60-14 WILLIAM PAILLE, DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION, requesting to allow staff of the Underwood Elementary School to utilize parking stalls along Richardson Street that is currently reserved for Parks & Recreation staff, and/or specific spaces in the Richardson Street parking lot. (Ward 1) [09/12/14 @ 4:13 PM]
HELD (4-0) on 10/02/14. Held for trial of the following: Existing "Parks & Recreation Parking" signage along Richardson Street to be removed. Seven on-street spaces to be signed the following: "Underwood Staff Permit Parking 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM School Days". The Traffic Bureau will produce

The location of this meeting is handicap accessible and reasonable accommodations will be provided to persons requiring assistance. If you need a special accommodation, *please contact Jini Fairley, at least two days in advance of the meeting: jfairley@newtonma.gov, or 617-796-1253. For Telecommunications Relay Service dial 711.*

seven parking permits to be delivered to the Underwood School Principal. Also as part of the trial, five meters in the Richardson Street parking lot will be taken out of circulation and the following signs will be posted: “Parks and Recreation Department Vehicles Only 8AM to 5PM, Monday -Friday”.

- TC2-15 ALD. LENNON, on behalf of Domenic Proia, 17 Peabody Street, requesting an amendment to the resident permit parking program for Peabody Street to not allow the contiguous lot provision (or some modification thereof) of the program and/or to assist Peabody Street residents to access the limited number of legal parking spots on the street. (Ward 1) [01/05/15 @ 3:09 PM]
HELD (5-0) on 01/22/15. Held for a trial of the following: All existing Peabody Street resident permits will expire on January 31, 2015. All existing Peabody Street visitor passes will expire on January 31, 2015. A maximum of 1 visitor permit will be available per dwelling unit for each address on Peabody Street, to be effective beginning February 1, 2015. A maximum of 1 visitor permit will be available per dwelling unit for addresses located on corner lots which are contiguous to a lot that borders Peabody Street, to be effective beginning February 1, 2015.
Note: The effect of this trial is the following: No resident parking permits for Peabody Street will be issued. All 22 housing units on Peabody Street and all 22 housing units on corner lots abutting Peabody Street will be eligible to obtain up to 1 transferable visitor pass, at no charge. This includes up to 1 visitor permit for each of the 18 apartments at 337 Washington Street.

- TC17-15 FRANCES MANCINI, 28 Carleton Street, requesting “Resident Parking Only” on Carleton Street. (Ward 1) [03/24/15 @ 3:08 PM]

DISCUSSION ITEM: DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting discussion regarding adding Handicap parking spaces into the Traffic and Parking Regulations (TPR). [09/25/15 @ 11:29 AM]

ITEMS NOT YET SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION:

- TC40-15 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, on behalf of Richard Nickerson, 16 and 18 Grove Street, requesting the following: Two-hour limit except by Auburndale Permit, Mon - Fri, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., except Holidays, both sides, cul-de-sac portion of Grove Street between Central Street and Auburn Street. (Ward 4) [09/16/15 @ 4:42PM]
- TC39-15 PATRICIA ENG, 112 Cedric Road, requesting that during soccer season parking be allowed on one side of Cedric Road. No parking 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m., Saturdays, April 15 – November 30 on Cedric Road. (Ward 6) [09/02/15 @ 12:18 PM]

- TC37-15 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION COORDINATOR, requesting review and adjustment to **Sec. TPR-195. Municipal off-street parking areas - time limits**, so that TPR-195 matches current conditions. [08/17/15 @ 11:38 AM]
- TC36-15 ALD. JOHNSON AND ALBRIGHT, requesting a loading zone on Washington Street near Beech Street to provide for deliveries of area businesses. (Ward 2) [07/09/15 @ 8:43 AM]
- TC35-15 JOANNE MADIS, 18 Charles Street, requesting a) a two-hour parking restriction on Charles and Auburn Streets and b) no parking in front of #529 and #535 Auburn Street. (Ward 4) [07/06/15 @ 11:52 AM]
- TC33-15 ALD. CROSSLEY & YATES, requesting clarification and possible changes to the parking regulation on Oak Street between Chestnut Street and Needham Street. (Ward 5) [06/23/15 @ 3:04 PM]
- TC32-15 BEECHER PLACE & BEECHER TERRACE RESIDENTS, requesting consideration of implementing restricted parking to only one side of Beecher Place. (Ward 6) [06/18/15 @ 11:39 AM]
- TC31-15 NINA CROWLEY, 888 Beacon Street, requesting a discussion and possible changes to the parking and traffic conditions on Crescent Avenue between Centre Street and Beacon Street. These changes may include parking restrictions, resident permit parking, truck exclusion and/or traffic flow. (Ward 6) [06/12/15 @ 9:16 AM]
- TC30-15 JOANNE LANGIONE, 38 Border Street, requesting review and potential changes to the traffic and parking regulations on Border Street. (Ward 3) [06/10/15 @ 8:55 AM]
- TC25-15 BARRY WHITE, 106 Sumner Street, requesting a two-hour parking restriction on the easterly side of Sumner Street from Marshall Street to Commonwealth Avenue. (Ward 6) [06/05/15 @ 8:33 AM]
HELD (4-0) on 06/25/15. Hold for trial. 2 hour limit, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Sumner Street, between Marshall Street and Commonwealth Avenue, east side, except Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays. No parking, Sumner Street, west side, Marshall Street to Commonwealth Avenue.
- TC18-15 NICOLE VAIANI, 15 Cypress Street, requesting replacement of all 12-hour meters to short-term meters (3-hour, 6-hour or 8-hour meters) to deter commuters and to accommodate Newton Centre patrons and businesses. (Ward 6) [04/03/15 @ 2:14 PM]
- TC16-15 ALD. SANGIOLO, requesting examination and possible implementation of a right turn on red restriction from Concord Street onto Washington Street. (Ward 4) [03/11/15 @ 12:55 PM]

- TC14-15 WILLIAM PAILLE, DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION, requesting discussion and potential approval of new parking regulations in the area of Collins Road and Waban Avenue in Waban, in conjunction with the reconstruction of the intersection. (Ward 5) [03/10/15 @ 8:00 AM]
HELD (5-0) on 05/28/15. Held for after the intersection has been reconstructed, the following parking regulations will be installed as a trial: Remove existing parking regulations along these stretches: Waban Avenue between Beacon Street and Collins Road, Collins Road between Beacon Street and Waban Avenue; No Parking, Waban Avenue, from Beacon Street Collins Road, East Side; No Parking, Waban Avenue, from Beacon Street to a point 140 feet south of Beacon Street, West Side; No Parking 4PM to 6PM, Waban Avenue, from a point 140 feet south of Beacon St, 140 feet southerly, 9AM to 4PM, Except Sa, Su, and Holidays, West Side; No Parking, Collins Rd, from Beacon Street to intersection of Collins & Collins, West Side; No Parking, Collins Rd, from Beacon Street to a point 140 feet south of Beacon Street, East Side; No Parking 4PM to 6PM, Collins Road, from a point 140 feet south of Beacon St, 40 feet southerly, 9AM to 4PM, Except Sa, Su, and Holidays, East Side; No Parking 4PM to 6PM, Collins Road, from a point 215 feet south of Beacon St, 100 feet southerly, 9AM to 4PM, Except Sa, Su, and Holidays, East Side; No parking, Collins Road, from Collins & Collins to Collins & Waban Ave, north side; No Parking 4PM to 6PM, Collins Road, from intersection of Waban & Collins to a point 160 feet east of Waban Avenue, south side, South Side.
- TC10-15 WARD 6 ALDERMEN, requesting one 15-minute parking space on Beacon Street, Newton Centre in front of or near Murray's Liquors, in order to serve the needs of several nearby businesses, many of whose customers need very short-term parking, and who may lose business due to the current lack of it. (Ward 6) [03/02/15 @ 11:55 AM]
HELD (3-1, Babcock opposed) on 06/25/15. Hold for trial. Remove parking meter #762 in front of Murray's Liquors. Replace with the following sign: 15-minute time limit, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Saturday.
- TC7-15 ALD. SANGIOLO, requesting a discussion of the results of the implementation of the Auburndale Parking Plan. (Ward 4) [02/03/15 @ 1:18 PM]
- TC73-14 DAVID KOSES, TRANSPORTATION DIVISION, requesting discussion and possible action related to parking regulations and parking flow on Crafts Street, between North Street and Washington Street. (Wards 1-3) [12/09/14 @ 3:31 PM]
- TC72-14 ROSALIE ROAD RESIDENTS, requesting that speed limit signs of 25 mph be posted on Rosalie Road after entry from Dedham Street, as well as on Rosalie Road west of the intersection with Country Club Road. (Ward 8) [11/07/14 @ 1:06 PM]

- TC67-14 ALD. JOHNSON, LINSKY & ALBRIGHT, on behalf of Cabot Street residents, requesting the installation of a raised crosswalk in the Cabot Street corridor, between the intersections of Cabot Street and Parkview Avenue and Cabot Street and East Side Parkway in conjunction with item TC28-12 previously discussed on May 30, 2013. (Ward 2) [06/21/13 @ 9:47 AM]
- TC42-14 RICHARD THOMAS, 15 Cousens Circle, requesting Resident Restricted Area parking on Cousens Circle to deter commuter parking. (Ward 6) [06/20/14 @ 9:54 AM]
HELD (4-0) on 07/31/14. Held for trial of the following: parking restriction on Cousens Circle from 7 AM to 9AM and 7 PM to 9PM, weekdays.
HELD (5-0) on 02/26/15.
- TC37-14 ALD. KALIS, requesting a discussion to change Blue Zone signage to make parking more available to parents who need to enter the school to pick up children. (Wards 1-8) [05/14/14 @ 11:00 AM]
HELD (5-0) on 06/26/14.
- TC42-12 ALD. HARNEY & SANGIOLO, on behalf of local residents, requesting a) study of speed on Auburn Street, between Charles Street and Woodland Road in Auburndale; b) study of possible traffic calming measures; and c) request for a raised crosswalk at the intersection of Auburn Street and Woodland Road. (Ward 4) [10/04/12 @ 4:02 PM]
HELD (4-0) on 10/23/14.
- TC23-11 ALD. CICCONE, on behalf of the Public Safety & Transportation Committee and Ald. Lennon requesting improvements of pedestrian safety, activity and traffic situations in the area of Charlesbank and Nonantum Roads. (Ward 1) [05/04/11 @ 11:09 AM]

ITEMS TO BE REVIEWED FOR PRELIMINARY ELIGIBILITY:

- TC ALD. GENTILE, SANGIOLO & HARNEY, requesting a stop sign at Melrose Street and Commonwealth Avenue at the carriage lane. (Ward 4) [09/09/15 @ 1:17 PM]
- TC YIGAL AGAM, 198 Woodcliff Road, requesting a) Stop sign on Walnut Hill Road, b) Stop sign on Woodcliff Road for southbound traffic and c) Median on Walnut Hill Road, so cars approach Woodcliff Road at a right angle to address safety concerns and deter speeders. (Wards 5 & 6) [07/27/15 @ 1:16 PM]
- TC JOHN LEWIS, 56 Lawmarissa Road, requesting a stop sign at the intersection of Lawmarissa, Fredana and Oakvale Roads to address safety concerns. (Ward 5) [07/02/15 @ 11:50 AM]

- TC BARBARA BRUSTOWICZ, 12 Radcliff Road, requesting a) a traffic study be conducted for the purpose of analyzing high speed and traffic volume on Radcliff Road and Tamworth Road and b) implementation of traffic control devices, such as stop signs and/or traffic calming measures to deter speeders and address safety concerns. (Ward 5) [04/22/15 @ 3:21 PM]
- TC ALD. SANGIOLO, requesting traffic calming measures or a reduction in speed limit on Washington Street between Aspen Avenue and Beacon Street. (Wards 4 & 5) [03/12/15 @ 10:38 AM]
- TC ALD. SCHWARTZ, on behalf of Yigal Agam, 198 Woodcliff Road, requesting an 'all-way stop' arrangement at the intersection of Dedham and Walnut Streets to deter speeders and address safety concerns. (Wards 5 & 8) [01/21/15 @ 9:10AM]
- TC DAVID KOSES, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, requesting the installation of a stop sign on Fountain Street (both directions) at the intersection with Highland Street. (Ward 3) [11/24/14 @ 12:52 PM]
- TC ALD. RICE, on behalf of the neighborhood, requesting stop signs and a crosswalk at the intersection of Devonshire Road and Larkspur Road, Waban. (Ward 5) [10/07/14 @ 9:35 AM]
- TC NEWTON MONTESSORI SCHOOL, 80 Crescent Avenue, requesting a four-way stop sign at the intersection of Beacon Street and Crescent Avenue. (Ward 6) [02/07/14 @ 10:58 AM]
- TC ANDREW TUBMAN, 16 Brentwood Avenue, requesting a four-way stop sign at the intersection of Greenlawn Avenue, Park Lane, Hancock Avenue and Brentwood Avenue. (Ward 6) [11/04/13 @ 11:06 AM]
- TC ALD. LAPPIN, requesting traffic calming measures on Dudley Road. (Ward 8)
- TC WILLIAM DILWORTH, 34 Fairway Drive, requesting a four-way stop sign at the intersection of Fairway Drive and Bunker Lane in West Newton. (Ward 3) [05/07/13 @ 2:47 PM]

Respectfully submitted,

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Traffic Council Chair